Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 21 Sep 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 22 Sep 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 21 Sep 2023 at 03:27

Confidence: High for Thursday through until Saturday. Low for extent of any persistent rain on Sunday.

Headline for Thursday 21 Sep 2023: Dry start, clouding over with showers in the afternoon

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 21 Sep 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Heavy rain showers	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
<05%	10%	30%	30%	40%	30%

Forecast for Thursday 21 Sep 2023

Weather: The morning will be dry with some early sunshine. Cloudier in the afternoon and evening with showers breaking out, small chance of a thunderstorm.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 70%

Low cloud and visibility: Outside of cloud and showers very good visibility with good clarity. Some patchy cloud above 850 metres in the afternoon, otherwise cloud above the summits

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Forecast for Thursday 21 Sep 2023

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/27 SW	17/22 W	16/23 W	18/26 W	19/28 W	21/30 NW	24/33 NW
300	5/13 SW	7/12 W	10/17 W	11/20 W	10/19 W	11/21 NW	13/23 NW
Valley	4/14 SW	7/14 W	9/17 W	10/19 W	8/18 W	9/20 NW	11/22 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/1	7/2	9/5	9/6	8/4	7/2	6/0
300	7/5	9/8	12/10	12/10	10/8	9/6	8/5
Valley	8/7	11/9	14/12	13/11	11/9	10/8	9/7
Freezing Level*	1400m	1400m	1500m	1600m	1700m	1600m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Expect notable wind chill on the summits under cloud cover.

Forecast for Friday 22 Sep 2023

Weather: Some bright or sunny spells and a few passing showers, these becoming lighter and less frequent later in the afternoon. Mostly dry in the evening. A cold day at height with notable wind chill in the strong winds.

Maximum wind: Northwesterly 25 mph with gusts to 35 mph on the higher tops

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 80%

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility outside of showers and cloud. Some patchy cloud down to 850 metres as showers pass by, but most summits will be free of cloud

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 rising to 14 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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